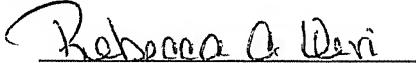


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STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f) ON THE SEQUENCE LISTING

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Sir:

This paper accompanies a Reply to "Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures," and is in support of the Reply to the "Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures," which was mailed September 23, 2009.

The Notice indicated that the claims (claims 17-18) do not contain a proper sequence identifier. Submitted herewith is a copy (text doc) in accordance with 37 C.F.R.

§ 1.821(c) including a sequence identifier (SEQ ID NO: 64) corresponding to the peptide sequence recited in original claim 17.

The content of the Sequence Listing contained on the diskette/computer readable form is identical to the written Sequence Listing. Both forms of the identical Sequence Listings contain no new matter.

The content of the electronic copy (text file submitted via EFS) of the sequence listing, is a true and accurate copy of which should have been originally filed with the application on October 7, 2003.

Should the Examiner believe that a telephone interview would be helpful to expedite favorable prosecution, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

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